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Republican State Nominations

For Auditor General,
JOHN F. HARTRANFT,
Of Montgomery County.

For Surveyor General,
JACOB M. CAMPBELL,
Of Cambria County.

Republican Primary Meeting.

At the recent meeting of the Republican Committee for Crawford County, it was ordered that the Primary Meetings for the purpose of making nominations under the usages of the party should be held on FRIDAY, the 5th day of June, 1868, in the several precincts, at the usual places of holding elections, and that the polls shall be opened at 1 o'clock, P. M., and continued open till 7 o'clock P. M.

The Return Judges will meet at the Court House in Meadville, on the Tuesday following, at 1 o'clock P. M. of said day.

HENRY C. JOHNSON,
Chairman of County Committee.
Meadville, May 6, 1868

A THRILLING STORY.

Escape From a Terrible Fate.

In the year 1854 I was in Illinois, and one night met with the adventure which I now propose to relate

I had been traveling a long way on horse back, entirely unaccompanied.

My road lay through a thinly-settled, desolate region. The last house I had passed was many miles behind me, and I began to feel weary and depressed. The night was intensely dark. Neither moon nor stars were shining. The darkness, the silence, the long, weary way, exercised an oppressive influence on my spirits, and, though by no means a coward, would have given anything for a little pleasanter situation.

I spurred up my horse and dashed onward. In this way I proceeded several miles further. Suddenly a low rumbling noise attracted my attention. I listened, and in a few moments it was repeated. It was distant thunder, and a storm was coming up. Here was a nice situation, and I shuddered in anticipation.

Again I spurred on, hoping to find some place of shelter before the full force of the storm should burst over me. Onward I galloped, but without any apparent success. Nothing in the shape of habitation greeted my eyes. I began to despair. All the time, too, the flashes of lightning were growing more and more frequent and glaring, the pealing of the thunder nearer and louder.—Finally the storm burst in its fury. For a while I beat against it determinedly; but the violence of the hurricane was at length too much for me, and I was compelled to stop and seek the uncertain shelter of a gigantic tree, much as I was opposed to such a course. However, I had no other alternative, for brave the storm I could not.

The deepest and most intense darkness enveloped everything. Except just when the heavens were lighted up by flashes of lightning, I could not see a foot before my nose, and every other sound was completely absorbed by the fierce bellowing of the tempest.

I dismounted and groped my way to the nearest tree. A flash of lightning showed me it was one of the largest magnitude. Beneath its far spreading branches I might be as comfortable, if not as safe, as I would beneath a roof.

After attending somewhat to my horse, I divested myself of my wet outer garments and disposed my weary body to enjoy as much comfort as was compatible under the circumstances.

The tempest continued with no sign of abatement. Never before had I seen such lightning, never before heard such thunder. It was terrifying, and I could not resist the temptation to shudder. Ever since that night a thunder storm has occasioned me considerable uneasiness.

In this manner half an hour may have passed. Still the storm howled on in the most furious and terrible manner—still the loud thunder cracked and roared—still the lightning flashed with blinding brightness.

Suddenly I felt, or thought I felt, something brush slightly against me. I leaped to my feet and quietly demanded:

"Who's there?"

I listened, got no answer; and nothing was to be heard above the roar of the tempest.

The thought struck me that it might be some wild beast. If such should prove to be the case, it would be almost impossible to guard against its attack under such circumstances; and it made my heart beat like a steam engine to think of the danger in which I was probably standing. I felt for my pistols; they were in the holsters, and I dare not move from the spot where I was standing for fear of provoking the attack that I dreaded and which I was in such a poor position to resist.

Some minutes passed, and all of a sudden the weight of a strong hand or the claw of a wild beast descended on my right shoulder. Almost at the same instant, and before I had time even to think, I felt the same feeling on my left shoulder.

I drew my knife—the only weapon I had about me—suddenly stepped back a few paces, and without any thought or design, demanded who was there, if it was anything human.

At that moment a vivid flash of lightning illuminated the surrounding darkness, and for an instant rendered everything visible. I was no longer in doubt. A few steps before me two ferocious and bloodthirsty looking men were standing.

Plainly enough they were both cut throats and thieves, or, if they were not, their brutal appearance belied them wonderfully. Two more diabolical looking wretches it has never been my ill luck to encounter. That they meant no good, I had no earthly reason to doubt; and situated as I was, the prospect was anything but pleasant.

Both the desperadoes held a pistol in their hands, and the weapons were leveled at my heart.

All this I saw at a quick glance, and then again the deepest darkness enveloped everything.

What should I do? I thought. Attempt to reach my horse and trust to Providence for my final rescue? To my mind that seemed my chance, for, in an encounter with two such brawny villains, my prospect would be very slim. Whatever course I adopted, though, I must be quick, or the next flash of lightning would betray my purpose.

Quickly I stooped down to the ground, and prepared to crawl away in the direction of my horse. What the two cut throats were doing I could not tell, for the din of the tempest prevented me from hearing any customary sounds. Their ears, however, were sharper than mine for at the first movement I made a loud coarse voice exclaimed:

"Tan't no use, stranger, for ye can't git away from h'ar till ye've paid toll. We steal for a livin', we do, an' we kill for the fun 'o the thing, so yer may know what ye've got to expect. Keep still, is my advice, or afore yer know it, yer'll git a bullet inter yer carcass.

For a moment I hesitated, and in that moment another flash of lightning lit up the surrounding scene.

There stood the two outlaws, with their fiendish-looking eyes wickedly glaring on me.

The flash of lightning also revealed my own position to them, and the sight they set up a loud and brutal laugh.

"Just think we're a couple of ninnies, Jake!" remarked one to the other.

"The cuss don't know we're sorter owls, an' kin see better in the dark nor in the light," responded number two.

"Fancies he'll scape us, hi guess!" continued the first speaker. "Wall if he does, he'll be the first man ever did that sort o' thing."

"When he gets away, hi 'ope he'll let us know it," rejoined the other, confidently.

That I had unfortunately fell into the hands of two of the worst sort of outlaws, everything more and more betokened. I knew well with such men the life of a human being was of no more account than the life of a dog, and inwardly resolved only to part with it, if part with it I must, in an attempt to escape, however desperate the adventure might be under such circumstances.

It was now about time for another flash of lightning, and straightening myself up to avoid suspicion, I waited for it to pass.

The next moment it came, with almost blinding brilliancy.

The outlaws had not moved a step, but remained as at first, closely regarding the spot where I was standing.

"Come, stranger!" yelled the same one who had addressed me before, "it's about time we had a better understanding all 'roun'. Yer see, we don't like to fool long an' we've been playin' with yer till we're about tired, we are. Yer money or your life's what we want, an' if yer don't like that, we'll take both without askin'. What d'yer say, stranger—what shall in be? Ef yer for a fight, sing out, an' hi guess we kin accommodate yer. Fightin's our element, an' we're always ready for a scrimmage. Now, ef yer don't do somethin' at wunst, we'll fire a round inter yer, we will sartin."

During the time occupied by the outlaw in speaking, I had been preparing myself for my attempt. Summoning all my courage, all my energy, all my determination, I assumed an attitude most favorable to my purpose and bounded forward at desperate speed, in hopes of effecting my escape.

The outlaws uttered a loud yell, and then let me know that they understood my purpose and were following in my tracks. But I expected as much, and consequently was not at all surprised.

Two muscular bounds placed me beside my horse, and with a single spring I vaulted into the saddle. I thought myself safe then, but at that very moment I felt violent hands laid upon me; and a flash of lightning soon showed me that if I had been quick, my assailants had not been far behind me.

I desperately attempted to start my horse, but before I could do so, the outlaws dragged me from my seat and bore me to the ground.

"No go, stranger," cried one of them. "Yer can't git away from us, no how; yer can't, so you'd better not try."

I was down on the ground on my back, and the desperadoes were stooping over me on either side, with their knees pressed tightly against my chest. Still, however, I resisted, for I was not exactly the man to give up without a struggle, desperate as might be my chances, and at the moment they seemingly could not well have been in a worse condition.

My assailants grew furious, and handled me in anything but a gentle manner, but desperation gave to me a new lease of strength and they found me no mean antagonist. By an effort of all my powers I at length managed to regain my feet.—Unfortunately, I had lost my knife in the struggle, and was entirely unarmed. Not so with the outlaws, for they still had the numerous dirks which they were making every effort to use upon my person

Meanwhile the tempest continued with its original violence, and, in the din of the storm almost every sound of the desperate conflict was entirely lost.

At length my superhuman efforts began to weary me. I began to grow discouraged, too, seeing little chance of my rescue. My protracted resistance tended also to excite the blackest passions of my deadly assailants. They tore at me, and cursed and blasphemed in the most terrible manner.

Suddenly I caught my right foot, and fell heavily to the ground. The concussion stunned me, and before I regained my feet, the outlaws were again pressing me down.

"Kill him! kill him!" cried one, as he clutched me by the throat, and drew back his arm.

"Cut out his heart, cuss him!" rejoined the other, in a furious tone.

"God have mercy on me!" I inwardly ejaculated, fully expecting to receive my death wound before the expiration of another moment.

The arms of the outlaws were about to descend, carrying death to me—I could not see it, but I intuitively felt that it was so when the whole scene was suddenly lighted up by the most blinding flash of lightning I ever beheld. Instantaneously with the lightning the deafening thunders pealed forth. That was all I knew at that time, for instantly I lost all consciousness. When I recovered my suspended powers the storm had passed away and the sun was shining brightly. I was lying upon the ground, and felt weak and sore, but otherwise was not injured. Beside me lay the two outlaws, buried in the sleep of death. They had been struck by lightning, and just at the very moment when their hands were uplifted to deprive me of life. The great tree beneath which I had taken refuge was shivered into atoms, and the whole scene was one of death and desolation.

Under such circumstances my own escape seemed miraculous, and I humbly thanked God for His infinite mercy. The lightning had saved me from the outlaws, and the Almighty had saved me from the lightning. I had been doubly preserved.

Strange as it may seem, my horse had escaped; and with a full heart, I mounted his back and started on my journey. That night in the wilderness I have never forgotten, nor is it likely I ever shall.

Volcanic Eruption in the Sandwich Islands--One Hundred Persons Killed--A New Island Formed.

A dispatch from San Francisco says the bark Comet, from the Sandwich Islands, brings accounts of a terrible volcanic eruption by Mauna Loa, which began its demonstrations on March 27th. On the 28 one hundred earthquake shocks were felt, and during the two weeks following, to April 13th, two thousand earthquake shocks occured. At Waischina, the earth opened in many places, and a tidal wave sixty feet high rose over the tops of the cocoa trees for a quarter of a mile inland, sweeping human beings, houses, and everything moveable before it. A terrible shock prostrated churches and houses, and killed many persons. In all one hundred lives were lost, besides a thousand horses and cattle. The craters emitted fire, rocks and lava, and a river of red hot lava five or six miles long flowed to the sea, at the rate of ten miles per hour, destroying everything before it, and forming an island in the sea. A new crater, two miles wide, opened, and threw rocks and streams of fire a thousand feet high. Streams of lava rolled to the sea.

At one time the illumination extended fifty miles, at night. The lava has pushed out from the shore one mile.

At Waischina, three miles from the shore, an island rose suddenly, sending forth a volume of steam and smoke, while the Kono vessel was passing, spattering mud on the vessel. The greatest shock occurred April 2d, prior to the eruption. There was a great shower of ashes and pumice during the great shock. The swinging motion of the earth was dreadful, so that no person could stand. In the midst of this tremendous shock an eruption of red earth poured down the mountain, rushing across the plain three miles in three minutes, and then ceased. Then came the great tidal wave, and then the streams of lava. The villages on the shore were all destroyed by this wave. The earth opened under the sea and reddened the water. The earth eruption swallowed thirty persons, and the sea many more. Great suffering and terror prevailed in the district, and the whole region was affected.'

The sloop Live Yankee has been dispatched with provisions, &c., to rescue and relieve.

The gases that issued afterward destroyed both vegetable and animal life. Bottomless fissures opened in the mountain side. A lava stream flowed under the ground, breaking out in four jets six miles from the sea, and throwing lava and stones 1,000 and 1 500 feet high.

Numerous extensive land slides accompanied the other phenomena, destroying life and property. The summit and side of a hill, fifteen hundred feet in height, were thrown a thousand feet over the tops of trees and landed in the valley below. A large stream of water has burst from the mountain where the earth eruption occurred. The base of the volcano is about thirty miles in circumference and is desolated. At least half a million dollars' worth of property is destroyed. Many visitors had gone from Honolulu and will go from San Francisco. The worst is thought to be over, but the lava flow continues.

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Titusville, Tuesday, May 12, 1868.

READING MATTER ON EVERY PAGE.

New Advertisements To-Day.

Proposals Wanted—S. J. Myers.
For Sale—A. R. Williams.
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Varieties.

—It is stated that ex-President Buchanan's illness has assumed a serious turn.

—The ticket, telegraph and freight offices of the Oil Creek and Allegheny River Railway at Shaffer, have been abandoned.

—A special meeting of the Common Council was held last evening at which the taxation for city purposes was fixed at five per cent. on the assessed valuation.

—At a meeting of Sagawatha Lodge, I. O. G. T., last evening, Dr. N. L. Willard was elected Representative to the Grand Lodge, which meets at Williamsport in June.

—Col. Lamoreaux, formerly of Pioneer, and now residing in Detroit, Mich., is one of the delegates elected to represent that district in the National Military Convention at Chicago.

—Preparations at Niagara Falls for visitors this season are being extensively made. The proprietors of the Ferry stairs have just completed putting in a new flume in place of the one that has been there for many years.

—The Titusville WEEKLY HERALD is to be enlarged four additional columns, which will make it the largest paper in the county. If the people of the county are what they ought to be, there will be a corresponding enlargement of the subscription list.—*Erie Dispatch.*

—Florida has renewed her allegiance to the old Government, and by a gratifying majority testified her desire to re-enter the Union. She comes back with a Republican Governor, Legislature, Congressional delegation, and constitution.

—All able-bodied men under forty-five are required by the general militia law of the State to pay one dollar a year in lieu of service, except in time of war or invasion; the fines to form a brigade fund. Each man who drills in a volunteer company is entitled to receive twelve dollars a year.

—The richest ten men in New York city are taxed on $50,000,000, but are worth, probably, three times as much. Of these ten millionaires, one comes from pure Yankee stock, and one from the Hebrew, four are of Germanic stock, two from the Huguenot French, and two from the Scotch or Scotch-Irish.

—A Boston man has a toy barometer on exhibition, which consists of a miniature cottage with two doors. At one of these stands a man clad in purple and fine linen; while at the other appears a female arrayed in like apparel. If there are signs of rain, the man steps boldly out of doors while the woman shrinks into the cottage. But if the signs are favorable, the woman goes forth to shop and gossip, while the man stays at home and tends house and baby.

—The Japanese Commissioners who visited this country a year or two since are reported to have carried back with them $30,000 worth of scientific and other valuable books, and the New-York publishers, the Putnams, are understood to have recently filled out an order from Japan, for school books chiefly, to the amount of ten tons weight. Fifteen young Japanese had been sent to this country for an education, and about as many more to England.

ACCIDENT ON THE OIL CREEK AND ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILWAY.—Yesterday afternoon an accident occurred on Conductor Sweetser's through freight train bound north, by which Mr. James Geary, a brakeman, was severely injured. It appears that the bell rope had become disarranged and Mr. G. went on top of the car next to the caboose for the purpose of putting it in order. As the train was passing around the curve at the night-cap he lost his balance and was precipitated to the ground, striking a corner of the platform of the caboose in the descent. He fell outside the rails with one of his arms lying partly on one of them, and while in this position the caboose passed by, the wheels cutting away portions of the flesh from his arm. The flagman at the night cap, who was within a few feet of where the accident occurred, went to the assistance of the injured man at once. The train was moving slowly at the time and it was stopped and the injured man taken into the caboose and brought to Titusville. He was removed from the caboose to the Morey House as soon as the train arrived, and Drs. Young and Jennings were called. His wounds were dressed, and last evening he was in as comfortable a condition as could be expected. The unfortunate man is a resident of Corry, and has been in the employ of the Oil Creek and Allegheny River Railway Company for some time.

THE National Convention of German Turners, prior to its adjournment at Boston on Thursday, passed resolutions sustaining the measures of reconstruction enacted by Congress, calling for the payment of the national debt and interest in accordance with the promises made by the Government, and asking for a gradual consolidation of the different loans into one debt, with a moderate rate of interest. The resolutions also call for the maintenance of the Monroe Doctrine, ask that the Tariff rates shall be fixed upon the equalization principle, and urge compulsory measures for the attendance of children at our public schools.

A New President.

A great day this, at Washington, anxious hearts, loud tongues, a day for cursing or rejoicing, we may safely prophecy. An era ever memorable in our annals; a crisis in the affairs of our Government is this Twelfth day of May, A. D. 1868. A day for the whole country to hold its breath, as on the eve of some battle, some calamitous defeat or notable glorious victory over the enemies of the country's peace and honor. We believe that the Senate will convict Johnson, because we believe the law and the evidence are clear and conclusive, of his guilt of the crimes and misdemeanors charged. Apostacy of party leaders damage to a party's cause are of course hard to bear—are deplorable, odious. But they are nothing in comparison with other considerations. Let impeachment fail and we may look for a sea of Trouble to overwhelm us. The precedent in favor of Executive excesses and usurpations, will be incalculably disastrous—not only in the immediate, continuing administration of Johnson—but, in the future, for generations to come. Let Johnson carry the day, and we shall have collisions and armed resistance to laws, incited if not directed by the President. We shall have a President no longer, but a King to rule over us. But the Senate cannot be faithless, mercenary, disloyal. It cannot cover itself with popular odium. It will not invite new perils to the country. It will observe the sanctity of its oath. It must show reverence for the laws it has aided to enact. It cannot falsify its record. It cannot scandalize or destroy itself. With Wade in the Presidential Chair, the country will feel a security unknown since the taking off of Lincoln. It will feel a trust in his talents, in his principles, in his manhood; a confidence inspired by his ripe experience in the public councils, and his consistency, his courage, his fidelity, on all occasions, to the great Party with which he has been identified from its organization, which he has done so much to establish and to maintain.

Ku Klux Klan Outrages.

That the rebel organization known as the Ku Klux Klan is no myth, is proved by the numerous outrages which are everywhere committed in the South. The latest of these is reported of a young man named Alvah A. Richardson, of Cleveland, who went last month to Middle Tennessee to buy cedar land, the cedar to be cut and used for posts. He was well supplied with money, and made some advantageous purchases. The fact that a "Yankee" was in the State buying land came to the knowledge of the Klan, and as Richardson was traveling through a forest near Shelbyville, he was accosted by a party of the Ku Klux, who told him that they heard he was hiring negroes to cut timber, and he had got to die. He turned to escape, and being mounted on a good horse, he succeeded in getting out of range, after a dozen bullets had whizzed harmlessly by him. Unfortunately he had not got far before his horse stumbled and fell, breaking Richardson's shoulder, and otherwise injuring him so that he became unconscious. The Ku Klux followed and would have killed him, only he was near a party of negroes whom he had employed, and who took him into their shanties. They afterwards escorted him to Shelbyville, where the services of a surgeon were procured, and he was made as comfortable as possible. The same night a letter was mysteriously handed to him, dated "Chamber of Death," and having the daggers and other symbols of the KuKlux order. The letter warned him to leave the State by the next northern train, or he would receive another visit. Wounded and disabled as he was, Richardson felt as though he could not leave; but the surgeon and friends in the house where he stopped warned him that the threat of the KuKlux was not to be disregarded. He accordingly packed up and started for Nashville, where he was put aboard a steamer for Cincinnati. He arrived home safely last Saturday.

The Crops.

The growing crops are regarded by the public at large with lively interest. It would be surprising were it otherwise, when we take into consideration the general condition of the country and the high prices prevailing for the necessaries of life. The future of the business community and of the laboring classes, even more than that of the farmer, depends upon the result of the next harvest. If this shall be favorable, business will prosper, and the necessities of the masses of the people will be greatly relieved. On the other hand, if the harvest should fail to a serious extent, pinching times and a dragging trade can not be prevented.

What then is the crop prospect? Two weeks ago it was gloomy. A severe winter, late spring and unseasonable frost, had damaged the wheat, and was supposed to have destroyed the fruit. But good growing weather has since materially changed the appearance of things. Wheat fields that promised trifling crops are now looking pretty well, and the fruit, it turns out, is, in the main, safe. There are sections in which wheat will partially fail, but, upon the whole, the prospects now are favorable for a better aggregate crop than has been realized with in three years passed. In the Western States the crops are generally an average in quality, and wheat is more than an average in number of acres sown. Fruit of all kinds promises a large yield.

Of the spring crops nothing, of course, can be said as yet, except that farmers, stimulated by high prices, and the general deficiency in supplies, are doing their best in the way of planting. The ground is in good order to give an early start to seed, and the genial sunshine and warm showers will soon bring vegetation rapidly forward.

It may be said, therefore, that the prospects are favorable for a year of plenty. Of course the final crisis has not yet been passed or even reached, and the sanguine hopes of the present may be blasted at a later period, but just now there is everything to encourage the farmer to go ahead.

NEWSPAPER CHANGE.—Mr. D. W. Wilder has withdrawn from the Rochester (N. Y.) *Express*, with which he has been connected for three years past, and has resumed the editorial charge of the Leavenworth (Kansas) *Conservative*, a paper which he assisted to establish eight years ago, and in which he now owns the controlling interest.

Mr. Wilder was identified with the early political history of Kansas, and was among the foremost in the struggle which made her a free State. Driven from St. Joseph, Missouri, for the fearless advocacy of anti-slavery principles, he re-established his *Free Press* at Elwood, on the Kansas side of the river, and there continued its publication till the adoption of the Topeka Constitution, and the admission of Kansas into the Union. He assisted in the organization of the Republican party at Ossawatomie, and no man connected with the Kansas press labored more energetically and efficiently for its success, or achieved in the line of his professional duty a more enviable personal distinction and popularity. The *Conservative* was an intentional misnomer. It was always in the van of progressive radicalism, and enjoying, as it did, the unshaken confidence of the people, became a power in the State. A sincere and earnest man, perfect in his integrity, steadfast in his political convictions and unwavering in his personal attachments, Mr. Wilder will be cordially welcomed back to the post of professional duty in the State of his early adoption. As it is fully three years since we have seen a copy of the *Conservative*, we hope hereafter to receive it in daily exchange.

Mount Hope Gardens and Nurseries—The Largest in the World.

The Rochester N. Y. *Express* gives the following extended notice of the Nursery business, which is carried on so extensively in and around the city of Rochester, describing particularly the celebrated establishment of Ellwanger & Barry, which has no equal in point of extent, and quality of cultivation in this country, and which ships its fruit and ornamental trees, its flowers, shrubs and plants to all parts of the United States. It is noteworthy that year by year, increased attention seems to be paid, in town and country, to the decoration of homesteads, to the planting of choice trees and the laying out of fine gardens: a labor whose recompense far exceeds its cost, and which affords one of the most refined of pleasures. The *Express* says:

"Rochester is not only the most important nursery center in the United States, but it is, and has been for a number of years, the most important one in the world. One of the physical advantages that this branch of trade enjoys in this section, is a well adapted soil, of which all varieties, from a light sand to a heavy clay, can be found. This non-uniformity of soil is especially favorable, since but few of the many varieties of fruit stock are partial to soils of the same quality and texture. The climate of this locality, owing to prevailing winds and surface depressions, is also all that a nurseryman could desire. But aside from these natural helps, it has taken a vast amount of scientific research and practical labor to bring the business up to its present position. A few of the many who have been engaged in this occupation have conducted their business with careful studies and experiments, and to these few it owes its present high standard.

"Among those that have given pomology the attention that it deserves are Messrs. Ellwanger & Barry, the proprietors of the Mount Hope nurseries, and to such an extent have they carried their study of the physiology of trees and plants, that for reliable authority on arboriculture, they are only equalled by such men as Downing and Thomas in the practical part of the business, especially in creating a large and lucrative trade, they have outstripped all others, and to-day they are cultivating the largest nursery in the world.

"Their nursery lands, of which they have over five hundred acres, are covered with stock, which embraces all the fruits natural to this latitude. To give some idea of the variety in which some of the fruits are cultivated, we will state that the firm have three hundred and seventy-five varieties of apple trees, one hundred and fifty of which are of select and well tried kinds. Of pears they have about four hundred varieties, many of which are not, as yet, recommended, being new sorts; of this fruit they not only raise the trees in great variety, but grow large quantities of the fruit. They have been known to exhibit over two hundred varieties of pears at one time. This fine fruit stock finds a ready market in almost every State in the Union, not excepting those on the Pacific slope.

"In connection with this immense fruit tree business is an ornamental department, that will compare well with the establishments of Philadelphia and Europe, which unlike this, do a strictly ornamental business. Here are nearly two hundred and fifty varieties of deciduous trees, each classed with its proper genus or family. In this class of trees there are some remarkable specimens of tree foliage and form. Of evergreens they have nearly twenty families, representing over fifty varieties. Among the new and rare sorts, is an *Arbor Vitæ*, the 'Tom Thumb,' which originated on their grounds, and which will be found to be of great value in ornamenting small grounds. To make their evergreen list complete, they have introduced the *Gigantea* 'Big Tree' of California. These trees being of slow growth, persons in need of a reminder of the brevity of human life, would do well to plant and rear an infant from this majestic family.

"Foremost in their large stock of shrubs and plants, are those queens of flowers; the roses, of which they have hundreds of varieties. All sorts can be found, from the good old fashioned 'Cabbage' and 'Damask,' to the delicate and fragrant 'Noisette' and 'Tea.' Of Carnations, Pœnies, Phloxes, Chrysanthemums and Dahlias, they have large collections; of the latter they have upwards of one hundred varieties of the newest and best that can be produced in Europe or America.

"In their large hot and greenhouses, of which they have eleven in number, can be found camelias, Cactii, Fuchsias, Verbenas, Petunias and Geraniums, of the new and rare kinds; also, a large collections of ferns, that would do credit to any place, aside from a Botanic Garden. In cut flowers and wreaths they have an extensive trade.

"At Easter, large quantities of flowers for church decoration are sent to Buffalo, Syracuse, Utica, Albany, Montreal and to many other large places, which like the above cities, appear to lack the animation and skill necessary to the production of their own *posies*. Their lawns are tastefully shaped and well kept. To see finer ones, or perhaps any as fine, one must go to England, or to some other country, having a more humid climate than ours. At this season, these gardens are thronged with visitors and purchasers. Among the latter are many poor people people who with commendable pride, buy a few flowering plants for home adornment. An hour's ramble within this domain of 'Poma' and 'Flora,' unless taken for scientific observation, will be as entertaining as one taken in the great botanic gardens of Liverpool, or even in the world-renowned *Jardins des Plantes.*

The Grand Army of the Republic.

There is generally a feeling of distrust felt towards secret organizations that have not been long established, and they are often the fountains of much evil. The societies formed by the Union soldiers of the North, and those formed by the rebels of the South, are very characteristic of the men and their objects. On the one hand the Ku-Klux-Klan, with its mummeries and midnight meetings, its inhuman murders and standing "committees on assassinations," is the natural off-spring of slavery and treason; a fitting organization for the guards of Libby, Belle Isle, and Andersonville—for the sackers of Lawrence and the murderers of Fort Pillow.

On the other hand, we find the men who wore the blue associating under the proud name of "The Grand Army of the Republic."

Unlike the Kuklux organizations, this has for its objects the bringing again together the men who stood shoulder to shoulder in the dark days of the war, the caring for the wounded and weak, the comrades widows and orphans, the cementing in one brotherhood in peace the men whose arms and blood kept our land together in war.

Hon. John A. Logan, Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, has issued General Orders No. 11, from which we take the following extracts:

"The 30th day of May, 1868, is designated for the purpose of strewing with flowers or otherwise decorating the graves of comrades who died in defence of their country during the late rebellion, and whose bodies lie in almost every city, and village, and hamlet, and church-yard in the land. In this observance no form of ceremony is prescribed, but posts and comrades will in their own way arrange such fitting services and testimonials of respect as circumstances may permit.

"We are organized, comrades, as our regulations tell us, for the purpose, among other things, 'of preserving and strengthening those kind and fraternal feelings which have bound together the soldiers, sailors, and marines who united to suppress the late rebellion.' What can aid more to assure this result than by cherishing tenderly the memory of our heroic dead, who made their breasts a barricade between our country and its foes.

"Let us, then, at the time appointed, gather around their sacred remains and garland the passionless mounds above them with the choicest flowers of spring time; let us raise above them the dear old flag they saved from dishonor; let us in this solemn presence renew our pledges to aid and assist those whom they have left among us a sacred charge upon a nation's gratitude—the soldier's and sailor's widow and orphan.

"It is the purpose of the Commander-in-Chief to inaugurate this observance with the hope that it will be kept up from year to year, while a survivor of the war remains to honor the memory of his departed comrades. He earnestly desires the public press to call attention to this order, and lend its friendly aid in bringing it to the notice of comrades in all parts of the country in time for simultaneous compliance therewith."

FLOWER SEEDS and Garden Seeds of every kind. Seed Potatoes, Early Goodrich; Mountain June Onion Sets, at the Seed Depot, Doty & Fuller's, corner Franklin and Pine streets.

For the Herald.

Life and Death.

I gaze upon the streets below,
The busy throng go to and fro,
The stream of life goes rushing past,
Like snow flakes on the wintry blast.

With tottering step and watery eye,
One bent with years goes slowly by,
Nor marks the youth, with conscious pride,
Who passes swiftly by his side.

The matron gray, the blooming girl,
Go floating in the giddy whirl;
The grave, the gay, the thoughtless fair,
All! all! are represented there.

How many e'er to-morrow's sun,
From east to west his course has run,
Will pay the debt, then lost, and lay
Beneath the flowers of early May.

FIGARO.

ACQUITTED.—The trial of E. F. Kelly for the shooting of Thomas Sharpley, has been concluded in New York. The result was a verdict of *not guilty*—the jury agreeing that it was a case of justifiable homicide. The Recorder endorsed the opinion of counsel for the defence that homicide was justifiable in a case where a man supposed that he was going either to be killed or receive grievous bodily injury.

The announcement of the foreman was received with cheers. Mr. Kelly was then surrounded by his friends and warmly congratulated on the result of the trial.

As the parties in this unfortunate tragedy were generally known throughout the country as negro minstrels, of no second-rate ability, the case occasioned a wide-spread sensation in the city and country at the time, and the verdict was looked for with interest.

GENERAL JOHN M. PALMER has been nominated for Governor by the Republicans of Illinois. He is one of the leading Radicals of the State, and was the leading competitor of Hon. Lyman Trumbull for the United States Senatorship from Illinois at the last election. He was nominated against his protest, but will take the office and make a good Governor. General Logan was renominated for Congressman at large. He has few equals as a stump-speaker in Southern Illinois latitudes, and will do efficient work in the coming campaign. Illinois is good for Grant, Palmer and Logan by seventy thousand majority.

THE soda fountains were in full blast yesterday. The Soldiers' Orphans by invitation of Clark & Co. marched down to the Merchants' Exchange drug store, and were refreshed from the marble fountain, after which they complimented the establishment with three cheers. Mr. Allen's soda was also on draft yesterday, and the passers by were invited to walk up and partake, free of charge.

ICE CREAM, the best in town, at J. H. Hill's, No. 65 West Spring street.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

ANNOUNCEMENT RATES.—The following rates have been established by the Crawford County newspapers: Congress, $20.00; Assembly, $10.00; Associate Justice, $5.00; Commissioner, $5.00; District Attorney, $5.00, Auditor, $3.00. The cash must in all cases accompany the announcement.

CONGRESS.

S. NEWTON PETTIS, of Meadville, is presented by his many friends as a suitable candidate for Representative in Congress, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

ASSEMBLY.

We are authorized to announce the name of WM. BEATTY, of Meadville, as a candidate for re-election to the Legislature, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

HON WM F. CROZIER, of Summerhill township, is announced as a candidate for the Assembly, subject to the usage of the Republican party.

The friends of H. R. STEWART, of Adamsville, respectfully present him as a candidate for the Assembly, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

The friends of DAYTON SIGLER, of Conneaut Township, respectfully present him as a suitable candidate for the Assembly, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

ASSOCIATE JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce JAMES IRWIN, of Meadville, as a candidate for Associate Judge, subject to the usages of the Republican Party.

We are authorized to announce WM. C. HENDERSON, of Meadville, as a candidate for Associate Judge, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce S. A. TORRETT, of Meadville, as a candidate for Associate Judge, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

The friends of F. H. CHASE respectfully present him as a candidate for the office of Associate Judge, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

The friends of WILLIAM DAVIS, Jr., of Meadville, present him as a candidate for the office of Associate Judge, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

We are authorised to announce N. SEMORE CUMMINGS, of Greenwood township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—Please announce the name of JOHN H. SMITH of Summit township, as a competent person for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the usages of the Republican party.
A REPUBLICAN

Please announce the name of C. G. BOLLES, of Greenwood township, as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

WM. B. WRIGHT, of Conneaut township, will be a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce ROBERT J. WALDO, of Summerhill township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

We are authorized to announce JAMES H. LEWIS, of Meadville, as a candidate for District Attorney, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

The friends of JOSEPH SHIPPEN present him as a candidate for the office of District Attorney, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

H. L. RICHMOND, Jr., of Meadville, will be a candidate for District Attorney, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

B. B. PICKETT, of Meadville, will be a candidate for District Attorney, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce Captain S. M. DAVIS, of Meadville, as a candidate for the office of District Attorney, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

VENANGO COUNTY.

ASSEMBLY.

EDITORS HERALD:—Please present the name of CAPT. JAMES B. GROGGE, of Oil City, as a candidate for Assembly from Venango County, subject to the usages of the Republican party, and oblige,
MANY CITIZENS.

SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce the name of Capt. H. H. HERPST, of Oil City, as a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the usages of the Republican party.

LOCAL NOTICES.

PLANTS of Roses, Geraniums, Fuchias, &c., will be received during the week from the Nurseries of Ellwanger & Barry, Seely & Co., Rochester, and Dreer of Philadelphia. Also Gladiole and Dahlies, Bulbs, Tuberoses, Peony Roots and Rocky Mountain Ferns from Vick's for sale at Doty & Fuller's.

FRESH arrival of Garden Seeds, at

H. L. HERSHBERG & Co.'s.

A LARGE lot of Trunks just received at J. J. McCrum's at all prices from $2.50 to $30.00

GET THE NEW MAP of the Oil Region, showing all the farm lines and leases of the territory between and around Titusville, Shamburg, Pleasantville, Enterprise, Petroleum Centre and Pithole. From actual survey. Price $2. For sale at Esler's Variety Store, Titusville, opposite American Hotel; McCormick and Nicholson, Shamburg; and W. H. Nicholson & Co., Petroleum Centre; or address, HENRY E. WRIGLEY,
Civil Engineer and Surveyor,
may5-d9w Titusville, Pa.

IF YOU want to buy, sell or rent a house and lot, go to
MYERS & SHERMAN, Fletcher's Block.

LOCAL NOTICES.

ONION Setts, all kinds at HALL'S

FOSTERS ROTARY PUMP AND BLOWER, Gibbs & Russell sole agents for the oil regions.

CIRCASSIAN Doll Heads, the latest thing out, at Esler's Variety Store; also a fine lot of children's Cabs, Carts, Wheelbarrows, &c. Bird Cages and Flower Baskets in great variety.

SEED POTATOES.—Early Goodrich, Harrison and Early Peach Blow Potatoes. Seven barrels just received at H. M. HALL'S,
No. 1 DIAMOND STREET

THE only place in the country to find croquet games with the patent cork mallet is at B. N. Hurd & Co.

FIVE Thousand Rolls of Wall Paper just received and we are receiving daily new patterns for spring at the reduced prices. Don't fail to see them. OLMSTED & JEWHURST.

AT FARNSWORTH'S (Pioneer City) News Depot, you can find Blood, Cough and Soothing Syrups, Pills, Toilet Soap, Hair Oil, Brushes, Combs, Violin Strings, Paper Collars, Cigars and Tobacco, Stationary, &c., &c.

GARDEN SEEDS, Sweet Corn, Champion Peas &c., at HALL'S.

ONE HUNDRED varieties of Flower Seeds, Pot and Medicinal Herb Seeds, Spring Bulbs and Roots, at Thompson & Hilton's, Diamond Street.

IF YOU want to buy or sell a farm go to
MYERS & SHERMAN, Fletcher's Block.

DRILLING TOOLS, Iron Tanks, Stills, Boilers or Engines made or repaired by Gibbs & Russell.

SEVERAL houses and lots in Titusville, in good neighborhoods, for sale very low, at
MYERS & SHERMAN'S, Fletcher Block.

W. H. NICHOLSON & Co., Petroleum Centre, and McCormick & Nicholson, of Shamburg, are our authorized agents to receive subscriptions to the MORNING HERALD for short as well as long terms, at our published rates.
BLOSS BROS. & COGSWELL.

FRUITS and flowers, trees, shrubs and bulbs Ellwanger & Barry, Mount Hope Nurseries, Rochester, New York—The most extensive in the world. Parties ordering of them will find their bill carefully selected and packed and promptly shipped according to directions.

SHIPPING TAGS printed to order at this office A large stock of best quality just received.

HAS Nature an antidote for acquired diseases? The PLANTATION BITTERS, prepared by Dr Drake, of New York, have no doubt benefitted and cured more persons of Dyspepsia, Nervousness, Sour Stomach, Loss of Appetite, Sinking Weakness, General Debility, and Mental Despondency, than any other article in existence. They are composed of the purest roots and herbs, carefully prepared, to be taken as a tonic and gentle stimulant. They are adapted to any age or condition of life, and are extensively popular with mothers and persons of sedentary habits.
Arpr31

MAGNOLIA WATER is a delightful toilet article superior to cologne and at half the price.

ELASTIC SPONGE.—Strong & Hoyt, 145 State St, Rochester, N. Y., have an exclusive agency for selling this article manufactured up into mattrasses, pillows, chair and carriage cushions. It is only a short time since sponge has been used for this purpose. The sponge is cut into small pieces and chemically treated and in this way has been found to be better adapted for those uses than any other article. We saw a bale of it weighing one pound, compressed and held into a space three inches in thickness by six in length and four in breadth, when cut apart expand on the counter to over three feet in length. None of the insect tribe will harbor in it. Its wonderful elasticity, unrivalled cleanliness, combine to place it in the front rank for such purposes as it is now used. Address Strong & Hoyt, 145 State street, Rochester, N. Y. d&w1nwtf

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Oil Creek Lodge No 303, A. Y. F. and A. M.—Masonic Hall, Fletcher's Block, Titusville, Pa. Communications every Tuesday evening at half past seven o'clock, the first in every month being the "Regular." Members are hereby summoned. Visiting brethren invited to attend.
J. H. BARBER, W. M.
A test. ROBT. LYMAN, Sec'y.

Titusville Seminary and Soldiers' Orphan SCHOOL OR THE INDUSTRIAL PLAN FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.—This Institution, opened for the admission of soldiers' orphans on the 2d day of January last, will admit a limited number of private pupils on and after Monday, the 11th of May.

The design of the School is to combine on a systematic basis, hand and intellectual culture. In connection with the ordinary course of study, each pupil is expected to devote two hours per day to manual labor at such a time that it will not interfere with school duties. Boys will be thoroughly instructed in one or more of the following employments, viz: Farming and gardening, type setting, shoe making, and general work around the Institution.

Girls will receive instruction in plain and fancy needlework and operating on sewing and knitting machines, and in general household duties. Other branches of industry will be introduced as the interests of the school may require.

The course of study will embrace besides the common English branches, instruction in the Natural Sciences, History and Languages, both ancient and modern, Vocal and Instrumental Music and Drawing.

For terms and particulars, address
J. N. BEISTLE, Principal,
apr20-d&wtf Titusville, Pa.

COLGATE & CO.'S
GERMAN ERASIVE SOAP
Is manufactured from
PURE MATERIALS
and may be considered the STANDARD OF EXCELLENCE. For sale by all Grocers
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New York Life Insurance Company.—The undersigned has been appointed Solicitor for this Company in Titusville and vicinity. Has had considerable experience in the business. Applications respectfully solicited, and Policies issued of all the most approved forms known to the best Life Insurance Companies.
J. H. COGSWELL.
Titusville, April 4, 1868 april6tf

Mr. A. W. Myers, Postmaster of Oil City, is our duly authorized to receive subscriptions for the MORNING HERALD, or WEEKLY HERALD.
BLOSS BROS. & COGSWELL.
April 7, 1868.

We have got up a quantity of Warrant and Quit Claim Deeds, Mortgages, Powers of Attorney Tenant Leases, Oil Leases and Assignments, Sight Note and many other blank forms of legal papers. Apply at this office.

Wedding, Visiting and Business Cards, Bill Heads, Monthly Statements, Circulars and all kinds of Mercantile Blanks, neatly and expeditiously executed at this off

Assignments of Interests in Oil Leases.—We have printed a new form for transferring interests They are just the thing, being drawn by a noted oil operator and lawyer. Call for the Felton Farm Form at he HERALD

Benefits of Advertising.—What made Barnum rich? Advertising. What sold our Government bonds? Jay Cooke's *Advertising*. What made Bonner's *Ledger*? ADVERTISING. What made A. T. Stewart's fortune? ADVERTISING. What sold 210,000 tickets in the Crosby Opera House scheme? ADVERTISING.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

A HOUSE AND LOT

on Drake—between Pine and Main Streets.
Apply to A. R. WILLIAMS,
My 12-tf Kingsland Block.

WOOD.

FIVE HUNDRED CORDS DRY HEMLOCK

WOOD FOR SALE at

HALE'S Coal and Timber Yard
My 12-3t

PROPOSALS WANTED.

The undersigned will receive proposals for

ERECTING A FRAME BUILDING

To be used as a

CABINET FACTORY.

For particulars inquire the present week of

S. J. MYERS, 66, Spring St.
May 12, '68. My12-3t

DR. JENNINGS—REMOVAL.

I have removed my office and residence from the corner of Perry and Spring streets, to Washington street, first house north from corner of Spring street.
apr16-d&wtf W. M. JENNINGS, M. D.

JOSEPH MILLER,

WASHINGTON ST., PETROLEUM CENTRE,

(At the sign of the large watch.) Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry, Pistols, Ammunition, Cutlery, Plated Ware, Gold Pens, Musical Instruments, genuine Italian Strings, etc., etc., all of which I am offering at lowest cash prices. Repairing done by first-class workmen, and warranted. JOSEPH MILLER.
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LOST.

On Sunday last, between the churches at Petroleum Centre and Pioneer, a

MINK FUR COLLAR.

If left at the office of F. W. ANDREWS, Pioneer, the finder will be liberally rewarded. apr7-tf

TUBING.

A NEW MAKE OF

Lap Welded Tubing

Two inch with extra heavy couplings, the best and heaviest in the market.

WARRANTED TESTED.

For sale only by A. A. DAME & CO.,
may5dtf. Pioneer City.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The firm of ARCHER & NORRIS, doing business as Machinists, at Petroleum Centre, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due said firm must be paid at once at their former place of business.
G. W. ARCHER,
J. H. NORRIS.

The above business will be conducted in future by J. S. FISHER & J. H. NORRIS, under the firm name of FISHER & NORRIS. Former patronage is respectfully solicited.
J. S. FISHER,
my2-d1m J. H. NORRIS.

PLYMOUTH DRILLING CABLE,

CAN BE BOUGHT AT AMES'.

We have the pleasure of announcing to our customers and Oil Operators throughout this region, that we now have the *exclusive* sale of the Drilling Cable manufactured by the Plymouth Cordage Co., and are prepared to furnish Cables of any length *without a splice*. The quality of this Rope is so well known, that it needs no commendation, and we think we express the opinion of nine-tenths of those who have tested it, in saying that it is without exception, the best cable made for oil well purposes.

F. W. AMES,
Dealer in Hardware,
my6 Diamond Street, Titusville, Pa.

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that W. B. STERRETT of Garland became a partner in our firm on the first inst. Titusville, Pa, May 4, '68. GIBBS & RUSSELL.

The firm name hereafter will be GIBBS, RUSSELL & STERRETT, and the business will be continued as heretofore, in Titusville, Pa., and Nunda, N. Y.
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AN AUCTION SALE

OF THE PROPERTY OF THE

HAMMOND OIL CO.,

ON HAMMOND RUN,

ADJOINING THE CITY LINE, WILL TAKE PLACE ON

FRIDAY, THE 15th DAY OF MAY, 12 O'CLOCK, M.,

IN FRONT OF THE AMERICAN HOTEL, IN TITUSVILLE.

The property comprises 106 acres divided into thirteen five acre lots, one of three acres and one of thirty-six acres. This last is covered with good hard wood timber. The Run passes through the centre of each lot, making them very suitable for building, for pasturage or for refineries, or other manufacturing establishments, and being just over the city line, they are free from City taxes.

As an investment alone, they present great inducements.

TERMS OF SALE.

10 per cent. at Sale,

BALANCE ON DELIVERY OF DEEDS, OR WITHIN TWO MONTHS.

For plan and further information, apply to

HENRY E. WRIGLEY,

CIVIL ENGINEER,

Washington Street, above Spring.
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AN ORDINANCE

Regulating the sale of Illuminating Oils, passed the 15th day of April, A. D. 1868:

Section 1st. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Titusville, That from and after ten days from the publication of this ordinance, no person shall be allowed to sell at retail within the city limits, any illuminating oil or fluid standing under the fire test of one hundred and ten degrees, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars for each and every offence, to be recovered as like accounts are recoverable.

Section 2d. That the venders of all such oils and fluids shall be required to have such oils or fluids inspected by the City Oil Inspector, and that they shall pay therefor to the City Oil Inspector as a compensation for inspecting, a sum not exceeding 15 cents per barrel, but no inspection shall be less than twenty-five cents for a single test. Any person offending against this section, on conviction before any Justice of the Peace of said city, shall pay the sum of ten dollars and cost of prosecution.

Section 3d. It shall be the duty of the City Oil Inspector after having tested any oils or fluids as provided for in Section first, and found to stand the fire test of one hundred and ten degrees, he shall mark on the barrel or package, the following words and letters together with his name, to-wit: "Fire Test 110 deg., City Oil Inspector, Titusville, Pa." Should any oil so inspected not stand the required test, he shall not place his brand thereon, and should it be within his knowledge that any person is selling the same rejected oil, or without the aforesaid brand, then it shall be his duty to enter complaint before a Justice of the Peace, with the consent of the City Attorney.

Section 4th. The City Attorney shall appear for the city and prosecute any complaint made by the City Oil Inspector under any section of this ordinance.

Section 5th. The City Oil Inspector before entering upon his duties, shall make and subscribe to an oath in the presence of the Council, that he will faithfully discharge his duties, as such, according to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Section 6th. It shall be the duty of the City Oil Inspector to visit all stores or other places within the city limits where oil is exposed for sale, or used in large quantities, at least once a week for the purposes of inspection.

Section 7th. All ordinances and parts thereof that have been passed heretofore relating to Oil Inspection, are hereby repealed. J. J. McCRUM,
President of Council.

Attest: E. T. HALL, Clerk.
Approved. HENRY HINKLY, Mayor.
I certify that the foregoing ordinance was passed by a majority of the Council of the City of Titusville, April 15th, 1868, and approved by the Mayor April 20th, 1868. E. T. HALL, City Clerk.
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FOR SALE, TO LET, WANTS.

WANTED.

A GIRL TO DO GENERAL HOUSEWORK!

Call at the residence of J. H. COGSWELL on Pine street, two doors west of Methodist Church.
Titusville, April 3, 1868.

WANTED.

TWO BOILERS,

from 30 to 40 inches in diameter and 12 to 14 feet length. Address, WILDER & HOWE,
may6-1w. Corry, Pa.

FOR SALE.

A HOUSE AND LOT AND ONE VACANT CORNER LOT,

Corner of Washington and Spruce streets, Titusville, Pa. For particulars, inquire of
D. H. RODGERS,
apr29-tf Pleasantville, Pa.

TO RENT.

The property known as the POMEROY HOUSE, with Barn, &c., all in good condition. The building is well arranged for three families or for a hotel, and will be rented accordingly.
Inquire of F. L. SEELEY,
mar9tf Kingsland Block.

ROOMS TO RENT

OF DIFFERENT KINDS,

Suitable for offices or families for 50 cents per week and upwards. Inquire at 24 Franklin street.
dec3tf GEO. S. STEWART.

FOR SALE.

The House and Lot, Northeast corner of East Spring and Martin streets, formerly occupied by Richard Hoag. Size of Lot, about one acre. House large and roomy. Good barn and ice house. Terms will be made to accommodate a good purchaser. Apply to
mar31f W. W. KINGSLAND.

FOR RENT.

A SPLENDID LOCATION.

FEED & GROCERY STORE.

Now in use—which will pay.
Address BOX 1276 P. O.
apr7-tf

GEORGE C. SMITH,

WHITEWASHING AND COLORING,

Paint cleaned, carpets taken up and put down. All work satisfactorily and neatly done, or no pay asked. Inquire at ECLIPSE SALOON,
apr4-d1m Spring Street.

FOR SALE.

Machine and Boiler Shop Tools consisting of Lathes and Blacksmithing Tools,

BOILER AND STEAM FITTING TOOLS,

Doing a good business. Will be sold cheap.
Apply to HANNA & MURPHY,
Box 207, Petroleum Centre, Venango Co., Pa.
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ARCHIBALD BLAKELEY,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

No 93, Fifth Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Especial attention will be given to cases in the United States Courts, involving the validity of proceedings for the seizure and forfeiture of Oil, Distilled Spirits, &c. My11-tf

CHAMPION PETROLEUM BURNER

The only Successful, Economical, Durable and Safe PETROLEUM AND GAS BURNER yet invented.
Send for Circular, or inquire of
C. F. COOPER, General Agent,
Rowe House, Petroleum Centre, Pa.
BRYAN, DILLINGHAM & CO.,
Manufacturers and Agents, Titusville, Pa.
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GERMAN LESSONS.

The undersigned would respectfully announce to the Titusville public that he has leased of Mrs. Shubert the office on Spring street, east of the Atlantic Hotel. Those wishing to receive GERMAN LESSONS, will please to call on him, at the above stated place, where he is now prepared to commence giving lessons.
MORRIS EINSTEIN.
Titusville, April 10, 1868-29d-f

THE

UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY

OFFER A LIMITED AMOUNT OF THEIR

First Mortgage B'nds

AT PAR,

PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST

PAYABLE IN GOLD.

The Great Pacific Railroad Line, extending 1721 miles from Omaha, on the Missouri River, to the tidewaters of the Pacific Ocean, is being built by two powerful Companies—THE UNION PACIFIC, beginning at Omaha, building West, and the Central Pacific of California, beginning at Sacramento, building East, until the two roads shall meet.

Both Companies have prosecuted the work with great vigor, the Union Pacific having already expended over

THIRTY MILLION DOLLARS,

and the Central over *Twenty Millions*, upon their respective parts of the undertaking. THE UNION PACIFIC HAVE COMPLETED 540 MILES—have iron and other materials for two hundred miles more upon the ground, and one hundred additional miles are ready for the track. They will have a much larger force employed this year than ever before, and it is expected that between

800 and 900 MILES

will be in operation during 1868. There seems to be no reasonable doubt that the distance between Omaha and Sacramento will be traversed by rail in 1870.

THE GOVERNMENT GRANTS 12,800 acres of land, and its Bonds to the average amount of $28,000 per mile, to aid in the construction of the line, and authorizes the issue of the First Mortgage Bonds now offered for sale, to the same amount and no more. The Government takes a *second* lien, and gives to the First Mortgage Bondholders a prior lien for their security, to which a large paid-up capital is added. The Bonds cannot be issued except as each section of twenty miles is accepted by Government commission, so that they always represent a real property.

It is universally admitted that on the completion of the Union Pacific Railroad, its through business will make it one of the most profitable in the world—but way or local business is already several times the interest on its bonds; so that, if not another mile were built, they would be a secure investment.

THE NET EARNINGS for eight months of last year on an average of 3 6 miles are officially reported at $1,066,126, while the interest on all the Bonds it could issue on that length of road for that time, reduced to currency, was only $318 864.

The amount paid by the Government for the transportation of troops, munitions, stores and mails has been, and doubtless will continue to be, much more than the interest on the United States Second Mortgage Bonds. If it is not, the charter provides that after the road is completed, and until said bonds and interest are paid, at least five per cent. of the net earnings of the road shall be applied to such payment.

The Union Pacific Bonds are for $1,000 each, and have coupons attached. They have thirty years to run, and bear annual interest payable on the first days of January and July at the Company's Office in the City of New York, at the rate of six per cent. in gold. The Principal is payable in gold at maturity. At the present rate of gold, these bonds pay an annual income on their cost of

NEARLY NINE PER CENT.,

AND IT IS BELIEVED THAT THEY WILL SOON BE AT A PREMIUM.

The Company have a very limited supply of their Bonds remaining on hand, but any subscription accepted to a greater amount than can be filled from Bonds now in the Company's possession, will be supplied from the new Bonds to be issued on that portion of the road completed in the Spring, in the order in which they are received.

The Company reserve the right to advance the price of their bonds to a rate above par at any time, and will not fill any orders or receive any subscriptions on which the money has not been actually paid at the Company's office before the time of such advance.

Parties subscribing will remit the par value of the bonds and the accrued interest in currency at the rate of six per cent. per annum, from the date on which the last coupon was paid. Subscriptions will be received in Titusville, by

G. C. HYDE,
Cashier Second National Bank,
C. C. DUFFIELD,
Cashier Titusville Savings Bank,

and in New York

At the Company's Office, No. 20 Nassau St.,

AND BY

John J. Cisco & Son, Bankers, No. 59 Wall Street.

And by the Company's advertised agents throughout the United States.

Remittances should be made in drafts or other funds par in New York, and the Bonds will be sent free of charge by return express. Parties subscribing through local agents, will look to them for their safe delivery.

A PAMPHLET AND MAP FOR 1868 has just been published by the Company, giving fuller information than is possible in an advertisement, respecting the Progress of the Work, the Resources of the Country traversed by the Road, the Means for Construction, and the Value of the Bonds, which will be sent free on application at the Company's offices or to any of the advertised agents.

JOHN J. CISCO, Treasurer, New York.
April 16, 1868—apr18-d&w3m

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®

Titusville Morning Herald.

All Sorts.

Elder John Gilbert, of Kentucky, has just died aged one hundred and eleven years.

Our Canadian neighbors, who were so much shocked at the suppression of Northern secesh journals during our civil war, are now engaged in suppressing the Fenian newspapers published within their own borders?

Wash Sprakling (colored) is one of the rich men of Louisville. He returns property valued at $78,945 for the State and municipal taxation.

A dog proclamation recently issued by the President of a New Jersey town, commences as follows: "Whereas, Several dogs has lately been killed in this town, and was supposed to have been mad, and most probably has bitten several dogs in the town."

Mrs. Jane Kinney, of Virginia, Warren county Pa., recently became a grandmother at the early age of 31 years, she having been a mother at 16. The daughter has well followed the maternal example by doing the same at 15.

A mad cat went on a several miles rampage through Easton, Conn., last Wednesday afternoon, biting other cats, and even persons, until her career was closed by a pitchfork. Hydrophobia seems unusually prevalent this year.

The seal fishery of Newfoundland is proving quite successful this spring, five of the steamers having returned at latest mail dates with a total of 65,000 seals, and left to prosecute a second trip. Several sailing vessels have proved equally successful.

A Paris jeweller, it is stated, has received an order for the manufacture of an exact copy of the "Queen Necklace," as described by Dumas in his novel of that name.

A horse thief escaped from jail in Nashville, Tenn., recently, by digging through a thirteen inch wall. The escape was effected at mid-day. The action of the water from a hydrant had loosened the stones in the wall, and screened by a line of clothes, he made an opening and escaped.

Daniel B. Ridgely, Commodore United States Navy, died on Tuesday at the St. Lawrence Hotel in Philadelphia, from an acute attack of pneumonia. He was born in Kentucky, and received his appointment from that State, on the first of April 1823. He was a resident of Baltimore. Of the forty years in which he had belonged to the service he was unemployed for seven, was on shore duty for nine, and at sea nearly twenty-three.

Wilkes' Spirit says the beautiful trotting mare "Fearless" was burnt by her keeper lighting his pipe just before locking the $16,000 beauty in her straw-covered box.

"My dear," said an anxious matron to her daughter, "it is very wrong for young people to be throwing kisses at each other." "Why so, mamma? I'm sure they don't hurt, even if they do hit."

A near-sighted young man declined a hymn-book which a lady offered him in church, saying: "Thanks, madam, but I never care for the libretto."

A person was boasting that he sprung from a high family. "Yes," said a bystander, "I have seen some members of it so high that their feet could not touch the ground."

The Baptists of Chicago have already raised $25,000 of $60,000 wanted for building a divinity school building, to be connected with the Chicago University.

MISCELLANEOUS.

CHAUTAUQUA LAKE ROUTE.

THE STEAMER

CHAUTAUQUA

Has commenced to run her regular trips between Jamestown and Mayville, leaving Jamestown at 7:50 a. m., connecting with the Cross Cut Railroad at Mayville with the Express train, at 10.55 a. m., going north, and arrive at Buffalo at 1.35 p. m. Leave Mayville upon the arrival of the Express on the Cross Cut Railroad, at 3:28 p. m., going south the steamer arrives at Jamestown at 5.30 p. m., connecting with the Atlantic & Great Western Railway East and West. Fare reduced to ONE DOLLAR.

EXCURSION TRIPS EVERY WEDNESDAY

During warm weather, at reduced rates.

The Steamer can be chartered for a PRIVATE EXCURSION if so desired, at a reasonable price, on any day of the week except Sunday and Wednesday by giving due notice.

HILL, MURRY & CHASE.

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THE

ROBERTS TORPEDO COMPANY.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The following is a brief summary of the RIGHTS AND CLAIMS OF THE ROBERTS TORPEDO COMPANY, which rights they intend to enforce against all parties violating the same:

The rights of said Company consist of three Patents issued and granted by the United States to E. A. L. Roberts for explosion of Torpedoes in oil bearing rock, together with the assignment of six other Patents for the exclusive right to use Nitro-Glycerine and other powerful explosive materials for the uses and purposes in the other Patents mentioned.

In the various legal conflicts relating to the Patents above mentioned, volumes of testimony have been taken and some of the best legal talent in the country has been employed in opposition to the Company, but after a contest of over two years, it was decided by the Supreme Court of the United States that Col. Roberts was the first to discover the practicability and invent the means of increasing the capacity of oil wells in the oil bearing rock by exploding Torpedoes therein.

That since the organization of said Company, in order to protect their rights, it has been deemed necessary to commence suits against several persons, among whom are Alexander Hamar, Albert E. Nickerson, and Kent & Mellner, (operators,) and Senate & Parke, (manufacturers.) That during the trial of said several cases, the pretended claim of William Reed and others in relation to being the discoverers and first to apply Torpedoes in oil wells, was fully investigated, and notwithstanding the said pretended claim of Reed and others, judgment was obtained in the United States Court against the several parties defendants in said suits, and permanent injunctions issued against all of them. And in order further to protect the interests of said Company, suits have been commenced in the United States Court and injunctions obtained against Frederick T. Munson, of Reno, Venango county, Pa., and George W. VanVliet, of Pithole, in said county. And in addition to the above suits, in which injunctions have already been obtained, in order to protect the just rights and interests of said Company, a suit has been commenced against Sherman Camp, of Rouseville, and proceedings instituted against the Reed Torpedo Company, of Reno, Pa.; William Reed, William Phillips Ralph Pettibone and J. B. Stubbs, officers of said Reed Torpedo Company, their agents and employees and all other persons known to have purchased Torpedoes of them, or any of them.

In view of the benefits resulting from the use of Torpedoes and the liberal patronage of the community, in order that all parties may avail themselves of them, this Company is prepared to furnish Torpedoes at a price much less than heretofore.

While the Company do not court litigation they deem it proper to place these facts before the public in order that innocent parties may not be led into difficulty by false statements of individuals, or circulars of Companies who are pirating their rights, as suits will be immediately brought against all persons, who, either use or purchase Torpedoes of any except them or their authorized agents, as their Patents cover the exclusive right to explode Torpedoes in oil wells.

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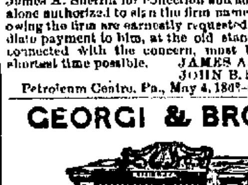

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PRESENT:
The Honorable NATHAN K. HALL, Judge.
JACOB H. SHEAR & JOSEPH PACKARD, vs GEORGE R. BULL & JOHN M. ROCKWELL. } In Equity.

It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed, that a perpetual injunction be issued in this suit against the defendants, restraining them from further infringements of said Patent No. 51,408, dated Dec. 5th, 1865, for improvements in cooking stoves, pursuant to and in accordance with the prayer of the Bill of Complaint.

(Signed) A. A. BOYCE, Clerk.

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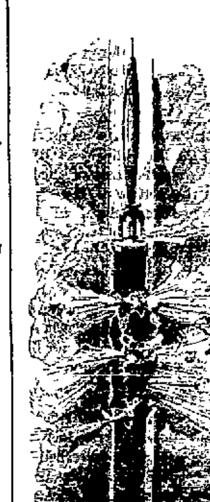

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EXPRESS--Leaving Boyd Farm 7:00 a. m., TITUSVILLE 7.38 a. m., arrives at Corry at 9.05 a. m., running through to Brocton without change of cars.

MAIL--Leaving Boyd Farm 12 05 p. m., TITUSVILLE 12 37 p. m., arrives at Corry 2 10 p. m.

ACCOMMODATION--Leaving Boyd Farm 5:30 p. m., arrives TITUSVILLE 6.10 p. m.

WAY FREIGHT No. 6--Leaving Boyd Farm at 9 20 a m., TITUSVILLE 11.10 a. m., arrives at Corry at 2 30 p. m.

WAY FREIGHT No. 2--Leaving Boyd Farm 3.00 p. m. arrives at Titusville 4:00 p. m., and Corry 6:25 p. m.

SOUTHWARD BOUND TRAINS.

MAIL--Leaving Corry 9:35 a. m., TITUSVILLE 11.10 a. m and arrives at Boyd Farm 11:41 a. m.

EXPRESS--Leaving Corry 5:10 p. m., leaves TITUSVILLE 6 44 and arrives at Boyd Farm 7:16 p. m.

TITUSVILLE AND BOYD FARM ACCOMMODATION--Leaving TITUSVILLE 7:50 a. m., arrives at Boyd Farm 8.34 a. m.

FREIGHT No. 1--Leaving Corry 3.00 p m., arrives at TITUSVILLE 5:16 p. m.

WAY FREIGHT No. 3--Leaving Corry at 5 30 a. m. arrives at Titusville at 8:10 a. m.

WAY FREIGHT No. 5--Leaving Corry 9 05 a. m., TITUSVILLE, 12 37 p. m., arrives at Boyd Farm 1:50 p. m.

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CROSS CUT RAILROAD TIME TABLE,

Takes effect Monday, November, 25th, 1867.

NORTHWARD.

Accommodation leaves Corry 6 00 a. m., Clymer 6 27, Sherman 7:05, Summit 7:19 Mayville 7:40, arriving at Brocton 8.25, connecting with B. & E. R. R. arriving at Buffalo 10.40 a. m.

Express train leaves Corry 9 10 a. m., Clymer 9.40, Sherman 10.15, Summit 10.30, Mayville 10 55, and arrives at Brocton 11 30, connecting with Express on Buffalo & Erie Railroad, arriving at Buffalo 1:35 p. m.

Mail leaves Corry 5:20 p. m., stopping at all stations, arrives at Brocton 8.40, and at Buffalo, per B. & E. R. R. at 10 40 p. m.

SOUTHWARD.

Mail train leaves Brocton (on arrival of 6 30 train from Buffalo,) at 8 55 a. m., stopping at all stations, arrives at Corry at 12:10 p. m.

Express leaves Brocton, (on arrival of 12 25 p. m. train from Buffalo,) at 2:50 p. m., Mayville 3 28, Summit 3 46, Sherman 3 57, Clymer 4:30, and arriving at Corry at 5:00, connecting without change of cars on O. C. R. R. for Titusville, and Boyd Farm.

Accommodation leaves Brocton 6.50 p. m., Mayville 7 42, Summit 8 07, Sherman 8:21, Clymer 9.12, arriving at Corry at 9 45 p. m.

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GOING NORTH TO OIL CITY & PETROLEUM CENTRE.

6.55 A M Express, arrives Tidioute at 7.43 a. m., Oleopolis at 9 17 a. m. (connecting there with trains for Pithole), Oil City 9 50 a. m., and Petroleum Centre 10 30 a. m

1.27 P. M. Mail, arrives Tidioute 2.22 p. m., Oleopolis 4 05 p. m. (connects with train for Pithole City), Oil City 4.30 p. m., and Petroleum Centre 5 15 p. m.

4.00 A. M. Freight No. Seven, leaves Irvineton and arrives at Tidioute at 6.35; Oleopolis, 8.15; Oil City, 9 45; Petroleum Centre, 12.25 p. m.

7.35 A. M. Freight No. Nine, leaves Irvineton, and arrives at Tidioute at 9 55; Oleopolis, 1 25 p. m.; Oil City 2 25 p. m.; Petroleum Centre, 4.25 p. m.

5.45 A. M. Freight No. Eleven, leaves Oil City and arrives at Petroleum Centre, 7.10 a. m.

GOING SOUTH FROM PETROLEUM CENTRE

8.15 A. M. Mail arrives Oil City 9 20 a. m., Oleopolis 9.58 a. m., Tidioute 11 26 a. m. and Irvineton 12 50 p. m.

2.20 P. M. Express arrives Oil City 2 55 p. m., Oleopolis 3 25 p. m., Tidioute 5.23 p. m. and Irvineton 6 05 p. m.

12.25 P. M. Freight No. Eight, leaves Petroleum Centre and arrives at Oil City at 3.03; Oleopolis, 4.03; Tidioute, 4.43; Irvineton, 8 15 p. m.

5.30 A. M. Freight No. Ten, leaves Petroleum Centre and arrives at Oil City at 6.55 a. m.; Oleopolis, 8 15, Tidioute, 12.45 p. m.; Irvineton, 2.25 p. m.

4 45 M. M. Freight No. Twelve leaves Petroleum Centre, and arrives at Oil City at 6 18 p. m.

Trains connect at Petroleum Centre with Oil Creek R. R. for Titusville and the North; at Oil City with Franklin Branch for Franklin, Meadville and the West, and at Irvineton with Philadelphia & Erie R. R. East and West. Standard time *twenty* minutes faster than Franklin Branch and A. & G. W. R. R. time.

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Mail Train leaves Philadelphia	11.15 P. M.
" " " Corry	7 18 P. M.
" " arr. at Erie	9.00 P. M.
Erie Express leaves Philadelphia	12.00 noon
" " " Corry	7.55 A. M.
" " arr. at Erie	9 45 A. M.
Warren Accom leaves Warren	12.55 P. M.
" " " Corry	2 30 P. M.
" " arr. at Erie	4.10 P. M.

EASTWARD.

Mail Train leaves Erie	10.25 A. M.
" " " Corry	12.05 A. M.
" " arr. at Philadelphia	5.55 A. M.
Erie Express leaves Erie	4 25 P. M.
" " " Corry	6.12 P. M.
" " arr. at Philadelphia	1.00 P. M.
Warren Accom. leaves Erie	8.00 A. M.
" " " Corry	9.46 A. M.
" " arr. at Warren	11.15 A. M.

Mail and Express connect with all trains on WARREN & FRANKLIN RAILWAY. Passengers leaving Philadelphia at 12 00 m., arrive at Irvineton at 6.50 a. m., and Oil City at 9.50 a. m.

Leaving Philadelphia at 11.15 p. m., arrive at Oil City at 1 45 p. m.

All trains on Warren & Franklin Railway make close connections at Oil City with trains for Franklin and Petroleum Centre. BAGGAGE CHECKED THROUGH

ALFRED L. TYLER,
General Superintendent

BUFFALO AND ERIE RAILROAD.

On and after Monday, May 11, 1868, Passenger Trains will run on this road as follows:

LEAVE ERIE--GOING EAST.

Night Express, 1:05 a. m., stopping at Westfield, Dunkirk and Silver Creek, arriving in Buffalo at 4 20 a. m.

Mail and Accommodation, 6 00 a. m., stopping at all stations, arriving in Buffalo 10 40 a. m.

New York Express, 10:50 a. m., stopping at Northeast Westfield, Cross Cut Junction. Dunkirk, Silver Creek, Angola, arriving in Buffalo at 1:55 p. m.

Day Express, 3 45 p. m., stopping at Northeast, Ripley, Westfield, Cross Cut Junction, Dunkirk, Silver Creek and Angola, arriving in Buffalo 7:00 p. m.

Cincinnati Express 7:35 p. m., stopping at Northeast Westfield, Cross Cut Junction, Dunkirk Silver Creek, and Angola, arriving at Buffalo 10:45 p. m.

The Express trains connect at Dunkirk and Buffalo (the Night Express at Buffalo only,) with Express trains for New York, Philadelphia, Boston, &c.

LEAVE BUFFALO--GOING WEST.

Night Express, 12.05 a. m., stopping at Silver Creek, Dunkirk, Westfield, arriving at Erie at 3.20 a. m.

Toledo Express 6:30 a. m., stopping at all stations except Brocton, Ripley Crossings, Morehead and Wesleyville arriving at Erie 10:20 a. m.

Day Express, 11:40 a. m., stopping at Angola, Silver Creek, Dunkirk, Cross Cut Junction, Westfield, North East, arriving at Erie 3 23 p. m.

Mail and Accommodation, 4:00 p. m., stopping at all stations, arriving at Erie 8:50 p. m.

Steamboat Express, 3:30 p. m., stopping at Lakeview, Angola, Farnham, Silver Creek, Dunkirk, Cross Cut Junction, Westfield, Ripley and North East, arriving at Erie 7:50 a. m.

Freight trains leave Erie, eastward, at 4 45 a. m., 7:00 a. m., 10:20 a. m. and 6:30 p. m; and leave Buffalo, westward, at 5:05 a. m., 2:00 a. m., 8:30 a. m., 4:00 p. m. and 4.05 p. m.

The Day Express west, connects 2:30 p. m., at Brocton with Buffalo & OilCreek Cross Cut R. R., for Corry and Oil Creek, without change of cars at Corry Railroad time is 10 minutes faster than Erie Time.

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GOING SOUTH.

10.00 A. M. Express, leaves Venango, opposite Oil City, and arrives at Pittsburgh 4 15 p. m.

5.00 P. M. Mail, leaves Venango, opposite Oil City, and arrives at Pittsburgh at 1.00 a. m.

GOING NORTH.

7.00 A. M. Mail, leaves Pittsburgh and arrives at Venango, opposite Oil City, 3.15 p. m.

10.30 P. M. Express, leaves Pittsburgh and arrives at Oil City, 7.10 a. m.

H. BLACKSTONE, Superintendent.

April 18, 1868.

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